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We are very modest, and will only claim twenty-five thousand majority for the Populist ticket this year.

If you intend taking a Chicago daily paper, take the Times. It stands by the people as against the Plutocrats.

The Democrats claim to have carried Alabama by 20,000, and the Populists claim the state by 18,000, and declare that Kolb shall be seated.

The Kansas City Journal wants the Democrats to fuse with the Republicans in order to defeat the Populists. Ditto, Topeka Capital. The twins are getting together quite rapidly.

JOHN R. WALSH, a national banker of Chicago, owns the Inter Ocean, Republican, and the Herald, Democratic. Both papers pretend to fight each other on the tariff, but when it comes to the question of Capital vs. Labor, both papers stand up for Capital and fight Labor.

The State Fair at Wichita this year promises to be one of the best fairs in the West. The attractions are many and the premiums are liberal. The best-known horses will be there. The fair will be held Oct. 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6. For full particulars, write to C. M. Irwin, secretary.

The days of the proscription and religious persecution have returned; we, therefore, need not be surprised to learn at an early day that such misdoings as Reva. Myron Reed, Chas. Parkhurst, W. H. Garwardine and all those who are willing to suffer reproach for the truth's sake are inside of prison walls, for the observant reader cannot fail to notice that trials before our degenerate courts are nothing but a mockery of justice.

FOUND A HARE'S NEST.

The Republican and Democratic papers (and especially the former) are making a great deal of noise over the "discovery" of a "letter" which was "found on the street," which says some very naughty things about the present state administration. It is said that this letter was written by Justice Allen, of the supreme court, to Lieutenant-Governor Daniels. The letter is dated in May, and contains a repetition of the charges that have been made by enemies of the administration, and re-hashed and dished up in so many different styles. All are acquainted with them, so a repetition is superfluous. Justice Allen was asked if he wrote the letter, and he says it contains many things which he at one time believed, and he may have written portions of the letter, but there are some portions which he disclaims. He also says that he has thoroughly investigated the charges made against Governor Lewelling and other state officials, and he finds them untrue. Furthermore, he declares that no one will more heartily support the Populist ticket than he will. Thus falls flat that which the enemy supposed, or hoped, would produce consternation in the ranks of the Populists.

These same newspaper ghouls are trying to use this matter to breed ill-feeling between Mrs. Lease and Chairman Breidenthal. Since Mrs. Lease made a speech in the Wyandotte county Populist convention, in which she loyally advocated and upheld Populism, and declared that, at the rate new converts are flocking into the People's party, the election of Governor Lewelling and the rest of the ticket is assured beyond a doubt, these papers fear she has so far regained her health as to give the two old frauds trouble again, so they must needs try to create discord among the leaders. In this case, their plan is to put words into Mrs. Lease's mouth which she did not utter.

We offer only this advice to the Populists: Pay no attention whatever to the lies you hear from the old party claquers or read in their subsidized papers. Just roll up your sleeves and work for the principles of Populism.

Keep the human ghouls and hyenas of the old party constantly on the defensive, and victory is ours.

Some fellows who occasionally talk on Christianity, and who also lay great claim to its effect on their lives will get howling mad in a minute if the sins of their political party are held up to the gaze of a discriminating assemblage. Their party is their god, and it they worship with a fervor far in excess of the homage paid the God they profess to serve.

An exchange inquires, "What shall we do with anarchy?" About the best thing to do with it is to strangle it.—Kansas City Times.

In which event, Cleveland, Sherman and the cringing crowd now down on their bellies in the dirt before these chief anarchists would be among the first to feel the hempen halter draw, for they violate all law to accomplish their hellish purposes.

Well! well! Who'd a thought it? And yet, we're not so much surprised, either. It is the Daily Populist, published at Las Animas, Colo., by E. E. Vail, formerly editor of the Greeley Graphic, then a ranting Republican sheet. Bro. Vail is getting up a red-hot paper. We welcome him into the Populist party.

The Kansas City Journal and other double-entender papers are much elated over ex-Congressman Ben Clover's return to wallowing in the Republican mire. It is now in order for the Hon. Benjamin to hunt up the files of the K. C. Journal of four years and see how, without stint, it poured out its filth upon him.

OVERMYER'S "Populism has now reached the stage where it simply is incipient revolution, superinduced by organized vagabondage and militant secondarism" will be resurrected in the years to come (when he will be found hanging around Populist conventions, asking for an office), to curse him.

SEIZO us a dime and get a "Keep Off the Grass" badge. It's a daisy. Keep in the middle of the road.

The Populists of the Sixteenth congressional district of New York nominated Dr. E. B. Foote, an eminent physician and author, for congressman from that district. The Doctor has accepted the nomination in a manly letter which proves him to be a true reformer.

A Money Resolution.

The following resolution, ordered by Mr. A. C. Watson, of Madison county, was adopted by the Prohibition congressional convention of the seventh district in Springfield last week. This is a convention or supplementary resolution, and is not a part of the platform proper:

Resolved, That we, Prohibitionists of the seventh congressional district of Ohio, favor levying a tax of not less than two nor more than five mills for the purpose of raising a county fund to be used by the county commissioners of each county to buy such lands as may be thrown upon the market from time to time, and after subdividing them into small tracts of not to not to exceed one hundred acres, and making the necessary improvement thereon, to sell them to men of limited means at actual cost to said commissioners, without interest upon deferred payments, and we would further favor that all lands purchased and deeded through this said county fund shall forever thereafter remain as to the number of acres of said lands to be held by any one individual at not to exceed one hundred acres.—New Era, Springfield, Ohio.

Forepaugh's Circus.

The season for circuses has commenced. Adam Forepaugh's menagerie, circus, hippodrome, wild west and trained animal show will be given at Garnett, Tuesday, Aug. 21st, with the usual afternoon and night performances. New features have been added to the ceaseless novelties seen in the ring, and this year the great show is bigger than ever. Some of the more marked rarities to be seen will be a horse that walks a tight rope, a baby elephant 38 inches high and a talking horse. Magnificent herds of performing elephants and lions and a complete Roman hippodrome are added to the programme. The wild west show is one of Forepaugh's striking features.